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For : PROCESS FOR THE PREPARATION OF TETRASUBSTITUTED IMIDAZOLE DERIVATIVES AND NOVEL CRYSTALLINE STRUCTURES THEREOF

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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME
AND AUTHORIZATION TO CHARGE
DEPOSIT ACCOUNT THEREFOR

Dear Sir:

Applicant(s) petition(s) the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks to extend the time for response to the Office Action dated July 8, 2004 for three(3) month(s) from October 8, 2004 to January 8, 2005. An Amendment responding to the aforesaid Office Action is being filed concurrently herewith.

Please charge Deposit Account No. 10-0750/ORT1592/JWH in the name of Johnson & Johnson for the cost of filing this Petition. Three copies of this Petition are enclosed.

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